

In re the Application of:)	Customer No.:	35,554
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Ronald A. KATZ)	Confirmation No.:	7611
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Serial No.: 09/505,915)	Group Art Unit:	2614
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Filed: February 17, 2000)	Examiner:	S. Woo
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For: COMMERCIAL PRODUCT)	Docket No.:	6046-101D8
ROUTING SYSTEM WITH VIDEO)		
VENDING CAPABILITY)		

PROPER RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION WAS TIMELY SUBMITTED

2. Further to a decision to appeal the final rejections of the Examiner, a Notice of Appeal was submitted in response to the outstanding final office action. It was mailed to the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office, along with the appropriate transmittal form and a petition for extension form, on September 22, 2008. September 21, 2008, the final date for response to the final office action fell on a Sunday, therefore, the documents were filed on the following Monday, September 22, 2008. A copy of the Notice of Appeal, as mailed, is attached (*Exhibit A*). A stamped return postcard (*Exhibit B*), acknowledging receipt by the Patent Office is also attached. Also, a review of the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office's PAIR Image File Wrapper reveals that the above documents were scanned by the PTO personnel. In addition, the Patent Office charged the notice of appeal fee (\$255) and the extension fee (for three months) for a small entity (\$525) to Deposit Account No. 50-1636 (copy attached, *Exhibit C*). Therefore, these submissions were accepted by the PTO and constitute a proper reply to the final office action, yet the Examiner has issued a notice of improper reply, thereby abandoning the case. The undersigned questions why the Examiner indicates that the submission of this notice of appeal and related documents is an improper reply and does not believe that a fee or petition for Revival is necessary. If a Petition for Revival under 1.137(b) is required, please advise the undersigned with the relevant reasons and then consider this a petition therefor.

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3. Applicant believes that no fee is necessary at this time. However, if any fees are associated with this request, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the necessary amount from our Deposit Account No. **50-1636**. Should any of the personnel handling this matter at the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office have any questions about this submission, he or she is invited to contact the undersigned immediately to expedite

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resolution thereof. Immediate consideration of this document is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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EXHIBIT A

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES		Docket Number (Optional) 6046-101D8						
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on <u>September 22, 2008</u> Signature <u>/Reena Kuyper/</u> Typed or printed name <u>September 22, 2008</u>	In re Application of <div style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 5px 0;">Ronald A. Katz</div> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Application Number 09/505,915</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">Filed February 17, 2000</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="padding: 2px;">For Commercial Product Routing System With Video</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Art Unit 2614</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">Examiner S. Woo</td> </tr> </table>		Application Number 09/505,915	Filed February 17, 2000	For Commercial Product Routing System With Video		Art Unit 2614	Examiner S. Woo
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Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 41.20(b)(1)) \$ 510.00

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 255.00

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1636. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

☒ A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed.

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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below*.

☐ *Total of _____ forms are submitted.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 41.31. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11, 1.14 and 41.6. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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EXHIBIT B

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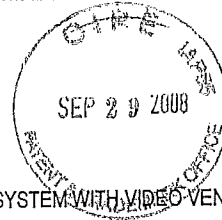


EXHIBIT C



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09/29	15	09505915	6046-101D8	2401	\$255.00	\$9,225.00
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 \$ 525 - 3-month extension

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